

Product Data Transformation Support. Converts military database for new systems. -  
Air Force

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**Explanation of Request**

**Purpose:** The Product Data Transformation Support Project (PDTs) is designed to transform USAF Weapon Systems product data to an efficient and effective data migration path into the "next generation" The PDTs will ensure that the weapon systems data used to support heavy maintenance operations is transportable across the entire US Air Force. PDTs will ensure that all weapon systems data is accurate, current and reflects the required data attributes that will optimize all aspects of maintenance, acquisitions and engineering functions.

**Why is it a good use of Taxpayer funds:** PDTs will provide cost savings to the Air Force by reducing redundant processes that create duplicate product data management tasking. A substantial impact on force readiness by optimizing data management processes, thus, reducing maintenance cycle times, returning weapons systems back to operational status. This capability is critical in supporting the USAF increased operational tempo commitments across the globe.